

Remarks

In view of the foregoing amendment and the following remarks, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding Office Action rejections is respectfully requested.

In the Office Communication dated November 2, 2010, the Examiner argues that the claims submitted in the response filed August 31, 2010 will not be examined because Applicants constructively elected the immediately prior version of the claims. Applicants note that in the response filed on August 31, 2010 there was an inadvertent error in marking-up claim 10 such that the “inhibitor” language was removed. Accordingly, claim 10 has been amended to re-incorporate the “inhibitor” limitation. There is written description support for this amendment at least in the version of claim 10 that was of record immediately prior to the response filed August 31, 2010. No new matter is added. Applicants believe that this amendment addresses the Examiner’s concerns with the response filed August 31, 2010 and request that the constructive election be withdrawn.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims are requested. The Director is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2135.

Respectfully submitted,

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